(e) whether additional areas have been brought under cultivation after executien of the programme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) and (b) Yes Sir. The Catchment of River Upper Kolab and Indravati were considered for inclusion under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Soil Conservation in the Catchments of River Valley Projects and catchment of Subernarekha under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Intergrated Watershed Management in the catchments of Flood Prone Rivers during 7th Five Year Plan, On account of resource constraints it has not been possible to take up new catchments during 7th Plan.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The sediment Production Rate >n Machkund Silem catchment has reduced from 4.8 ha. meter|100 sq. kilometer to 1.6 ha. m. per 100 sq. km. in the past two decades.

(e) An evaluation study in 5 watersheds falling within Orissa has shown an increase in area under cultivation from 130 ha. to 158 ha.

Drinking water facilities ia Maharashrra

2598. SHRIMATI SUDHA VIJAY JOSHI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state-.

(a) the number of villages in Maharashtra which are still without proper drink, ing water facilities;

(b) the details of the programmes to cover the above villages for providing drinking water;

(c) the Central assistance earmarked to that State under A.R.W.S.P. Programme during the current plan period; and

(d) by when these villages are likeiy to be provided with drinking water faci lity?

THR MINTSTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) As on 31st January, 1989, 1078 problem villages in Maharashtra were still without proper drinking water facilities.

(bi The programme of supplying drinking water to the Rural population is being undertaken by State Government under State Sector Minimum Needs Programme (MNP) and Central Government is assisting the State Government by giving grants-in-aid under the Centrally Sponsored Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) and funds under Na-tional Drinking Water Technology Mission.

(c) During the first 4 years of the current plan period (1985—89), funds am' ounling to Rs. 101.97 crores have been released and the amount allocated for the year 1989 90 is Rs. 30.63 crores under ARWSP. Apart from this, a sum of Rs. 4.09 crores has ^en released under Technology Mission.

(d) All these villages are likely to be provided with safe drinking water facilities by the end of 7th Five Year Plan.

Publication of bibliography of books in varioas languages

2599. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any propos d under consideration for publishing a bibliography of books in Urdu, Hindi, English and other regional languages about the freedom movement prescribed by the then Government during the period from 1919 till August, 1947; and

(b) if so. by whe.?, such a bibliography is likelv to be published?